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FM AMEMBASSY MASERU
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 9027
INFO AMEMBASSY GABORONE
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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: SREF, LT
SUBJECT: DEPARTURE OF REFUGEES FROM LESOTHO

REF: A. MASERU 1606, B. STATE 186446,

1. REFTEL A (SENT USICA) WAS INITIATED AT REQUEST OF MRS. ROYER OF CHRISTIAN COUNCIL, MASERU. IT CLARIFIES SOME OF THE POINTS RAISED IN REFTEL B, WHICH IT CROSSED. THIS MESSAGE REPEATS CONTEXT OF REFTEL A, AND ADDS NEW INFORMATION.

2. REFUGEES DO NOT YET HAVE DOCUMENTATION. MINISTRY OF INTERIOR HAS ASSURED EMBASSY DOCUMENTS WOULD BE ISSUED SHORTLY, WITH LESOTHO RETURN CLAUSE. RECENT TRANSFER OF PERMANENT SECRETARY INTERIOR, WHO HANDLED MOST REFUGEE CASES, APPEARS TO HAVE SLOWED PROCEDURES. REFUGEES, MEANWHILE, EXPRESS CONFIDENCE AND HAVE STATED AUGUST 7 AS ETD LESOTHO-GABORONE LEG. THEY HAVE BEEN INSTRUCTED TO REPORT TO SIGN DSP-66 FORMS AS SOON AS DOCUMENTS ARE IN HAND.

3. AS NOTED IN REFTEL A, MRS. ROYER HAS GIVEN R 800.00 (DOLS 922.00) AS AMOUNT FOR LESOTHO-GABORONE CHARTER, AND SUGGESTED FUNDS BE SENT VIA BANK DRAFT TO CHRISTIAN COUNCIL SOCIAL SERVICES ACCOUNT,
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4. WILL ADVISE WHEN VISAS ISSUED.
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Message Attributes

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Decaption Date: 01 jan 1960
Decaption Note:
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